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| In re Application of: | Dennis O'Brien and Carl Yee |
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| For: | Cutting Balloon Having Sheathed Incising Elements |
| Group Art Unit: | 3734 |

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b)) \$510.00.

- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 22-0350.
- A Petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed.

■ CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

In the event a petition for extension of time is required and has not otherwise been requested or in the event the period specified is incorrect please consider this a petition for the appropriate extension therefore.

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